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TO AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV IMMEDIATE

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SUBJ OFFER TO EXHIBIT STATE LETTERS, IN ISRAEL AA VICE  
PRESIDENTIAL GIFT  
REF TEL AVIV 07548  
AS THE GIFT FROM THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO ISRAEL IN  
CELEBRATION OF THEIR THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY, AND ON THE OCCA-  
SION OF THE VICE PRESIDENT'S VISIT, THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES IS  
WILLING TO RELEASE, AT THE VICE PRESIDENT'S REQUEST, TWO  
STATE LETTERS FOR EXHIBIT IN THE STATE ARCHIVES OF ISRAEL  
OR THE ISRAELI NATIONAL MUSEUM FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE AN-  
NIVERSARY YEAR. THE TRUMAN LIBRARY IS PROVIDING THE LET-  
TER OF DR. CHAIM WEIZMANN TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE U.S.  
DATED MAY 13, 1948, WITH A PHOTOGRAPH OF THE TWO MEN TAKEN  
ON MAY 25, 1948, AND THE JOHNSON LIBRARY IS SENDING TO  
WASHINGTON THE TRUMAN RESPONSE DATED MAY 14, 1948. THE  
ARCHIVIST OF THE U.S. HAS AGREED TO RELEASE THESE TWO DOCU-  
MENTS INTO THE HANDS OF THE STATE ARCHIVES OF ISRAEL OR  
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THE NATIONAL MUSEUM, IF IN FACT, ONE WOULD WISH TO HAVE  
SUCH AN EXHIBIT FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR. REQUEST  
EMBASSY CONTACT ISRAELI ARCHIVIST PAUL ALSBERG FOR IMMED-  
IATE RESPONSE.

IF AFFIRMATIVE, ARCHIVES WILL USE DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS TO  
WORK OUT LOAN AGREEMENT WITH SISTER INSTITUTION TO GUARAN-

THE SAFETY OF DOCUMENTS, SUCH AS: BUILDING SATISFACTORILY GUARDED AGAINST FIRE AND THEFT, DOCUMENTS AGREED TO BE HANDLED BY STAFF PERSONNEL ONLY, PROTECTION AGAINST VISITORS' HANDLING, PROPER PROTECTION AGAINST DIRECT SUNLIGHT, SUFFICIENT GUARDS AND ALARM SYSTEM, ETC. LETTERS WOULD EITHER ACCOMPANY VICE PRESIDENTIAL PARTY, OR ARRIVE BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE. SINCE THESE ARE THE ONLY CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE ARCHIVES WILL RELEASE DOCUMENTS, DEPARTMENT REQUESTS IMMEDIATE RESPONSE IN ORDER TO PREPARE STATE LETTERS FOR TRANSPORT.

THE VICE PRESIDENT WILL ALSO PRESENT REPRODUCTIONS OF THESE DOCUMENTS WITH AFOREMENTIONED PHOTOGRAPH IN LEATHER JACKETS.  
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